



Room 5 Classroom News

March 14-31, 2016



Classroom happenings: We started the month reading books by Dr. Seuss and talking about words that rhyme. In art we practiced patterning and made red and white striped hats in honor of the late author's birthday.

We transformed our dramatic play area into a hospital. We invited Nurse Erin in to talk about her job as a school nurse and an emergency room nurse. We have read books about the hospital such as What's it like to be a Nurse, Going to the Hospital, and Emergency Room. We even made our own stethoscopes and created beautiful paintings with medicine droppers and syringes.

In Math we have been working on ordering objects by size. We are using comparison language such as big, bigger, biggest, small, smaller, smallest, tall, taller, tallest.

We really enjoyed the warm weather last week. We read books about animals waking up from hibernating and will wake the turtle and the bear that have been hibernating in our classroom. We have some forsythia branches in water in our room and we are waiting to see what happens to them over the next week.

At Home Connection: March is National Read Aloud Month. Take time to read to your child each day this month. Research shows that reading aloud to a child is the most important family activity in raising a reader and supporting future success in school. You might want to read more rhyming books or books about the hospital. Whiton library and Mary Cheney library have great children's programs. Check them out!

Reminders: Parent teacher conferences are being held in the afternoons on Tuesday, March 15th, Wednesday, March 16th, and Thursday, March 17th from 12:00-3:00. I sent home reminders of your day and time and am looking forward to meeting with you and discussing your child's progress. **Your child will be dismissed at 11:00 am on those days. Please plan accordingly.**

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Class Schedule

8:30 Arrival
8:45 Breakfast & tooth brushing
9:00 Morning Meeting
9:15 Outdoor Play
9:45 Cooperative Play (Mon/Tue)
Gym (Wednesdays)
Music (Thursdays)
Art (Fridays)
10:25 Centers
11:30 Math/Story
11:45 Lunch & tooth brushing
12:30 Quiet time
1:30 Snack/Centers
2:10 Group activity/Story
2:20 Reflection/IMIL
2:30 Dismissal



Nalani playing the jumping game.



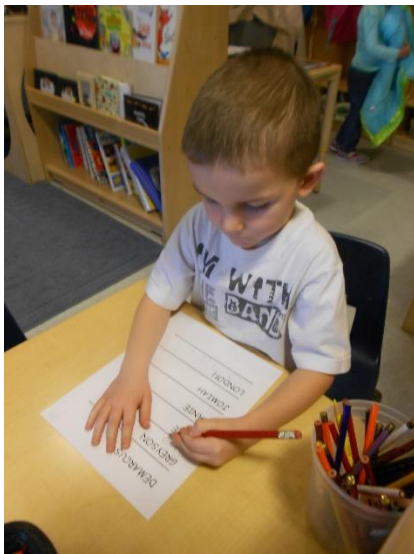
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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
	14 Greyson's Birthday	15 11:00 dismissal Parent/ Teacher Conferences	16 Gym 11:00 dismissal Parent/ Teacher Conferences 1pm Foodshare at New River Church	17 Music 11:00 dismissal Parent/ Teacher Conferences	18 Art Celebrate Jynnette's Birthday	
	21 Mismatched Socks Day to benefit Down Syndrome \$1.00	22	23 Gym 11:00 dismissal	24 Music	25 No School	
	28	29	30 Gym 1pm Foodshare at New River Church	31 Music Adam and Yousef's Birthdays	April 1 Art Wear Blue for Autism Awareness \$1.00	



We sign in everyday at the writing center.



Dr. Seda made a stethoscope.



Nurse Erin and Jynnette.



Our cooperative relay game is fun.